

11 August 1977

MEMORANDUM FOR: Deputy Director of Security

FROM: Robert W. Gambino
Director of Security

SUBJECT: Establishment of Industrial Security
Component in the Office of Security

1. I would like to express my appreciation for the reports on this subject prepared [redacted] and [redacted]. Their advice and suggestions contained in the reports have been a significant benefit in arriving at decisions required to implement the recommendations approved by the Director in the industrial security area. I am also very appreciative of the personal advice and recommendations submitted to me verbally by you [redacted].

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2. After much deliberation I have decided that the industrial security component in the Office of Security should be established as an independent branch in the Physical Security Division headed by a GS-15. The branch should be staffed with a GS-14 Deputy Chief and other professional officers and clerical staff as necessary to accomplish our industrial security mission. The allocation of grades has not been determined finally, but I suggest that they include both 12's and 13's.

3. In view of the need to move rapidly to establish this unit on a formal basis, it is requested that nominations for Chief of this unit be forwarded for my consideration as soon as possible.

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Robert W. Gambino

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